

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE			
<b>RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)</b>		Docket Number: <b>13425/1</b>	
		International Application No.: <b>PCT/IL03/01063</b>	
Application Number <b>10/539,332</b>	International Filing Date <b>December 11, 2003</b>	Examiner <b>To be assigned</b>	Art Unit <b>To be assigned</b>
Invention Title <b>DEVICE FOR SEPARATING BETWEEN THE UPPER AND LOWER JAWS AND METHOD USING THE SAME</b>		Inventor(s) <b>Eran LAVI et al.</b>	

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In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements Under 35 U.S.C. 371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed March 30, 2006, Applicant submits herewith a fully executed Declaration (3 pages), in order to complete the filing requirements for the U.S. national phase of the above-identified PCT application. Applicant also encloses a copy of the Notification as required.

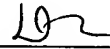
The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is authorized to charge the **\$65.00 (small entity)** fee to cover the surcharge for late filing of the Declaration and Power of Attorney to Deposit Account No. **11-0600**.

Applicants also enclose an executed Power of Attorney by Assignee of Entire Interest (1 page) and the required statement under 37 C.F.R. § 3.73(b) with this paper, and request that this Power of Attorney be made of record in the above-identified application.

Applicants further enclose an Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and 1.98 with an attached modified PTO form 1449 listing the references to be considered.

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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/15/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/15/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 06/15/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/15/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 06/15/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/15/2005
- Priority Documents filed on 06/15/2005

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

## SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity:

- \$65 Surcharge.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.*

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